Demand	Decision of the Government
(viii) Increase of Student Stipend: . .	(viii) Rate of stipend to the student nurses undergoing general nursing and midwifery courses has been enhanced to Rs. 500/- per month uniformally for all the three years.
3. Cadre Review of Nurses: . . .	3. A Committee has been set up for looking into the restructuring of cadre of nurses.
4. Family Accommodation and Transport Facilities:	4. It has been explained to the Nurses that it would not be possible for the Government to provide family accommodation to all the nurses. Nor would it be posible to provide exclusive transport facilities to them.

Instalments of Relief Paid to Pensioners of Central Universities

*31. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of instalments of relief paid to the pensioners of the Central Universities during the years 1984, 1985 and 1986;

(b) whether some of the instalments of relief were paid very late to these pensioners during the years 1985 and 1986; if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) the number of instalments of relief relating to 1986 which have not been paid to the pensioners so far; and

(d) what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) The number of instalments of Dearness Relief sanctioned to the pensioners of Central Universities during the years 1984, 1985 and 1986 is six, four and four respectively.

(b) The four instalments of relief in 1985 were sanctioned in July and September 1985 and January, 1986. These were brought to the notice of the Central Universities by the University Grants Commission in November and December, 1986. The four instalments of relief in 1986 were sanctioned in March, June, August and October, 1986. These were brought to the notice of Central University in November, 1986 by the University Grants Commission.

(c) and (d) According to information available, all the instalments of relief sanctioned during 1986 have been released by the Aligarh Muslim University Banaras Hindu University, Delhi University and Jawaharlal Nehru University. The North-Eastern Hill University does not have any pensioners eligible for Dearness relief. The Pondicherry and Indira Gandhi National Open Universities were established in 1985 and have no pensioners. The position relating to Hyderabad and Visva-Bharati is being ascertain.

Festival of India in the Soviet Union

*32. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA:

SHRI YALLA SESI BHUSHANA RAO:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the estimated cost of the proposed Festival of India in the Soviet Union;